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HOUSE PASSES HERSETH BILL TO IMPROVE FOREST RECOVERY AND RESEARCH

The Forest Emergency Recovery and Research Act Is Balanced Common Sense

May 17, 2006, Washington, D.C. - The U.S. House of Representatives today passed a bill to improve forest recovery and research.

Herseth said, "This bill represents a balanced and common sense approach to forest recovery and research."

Herseth has been working on many fronts to build bipartisan support for the bill in the House.

Herseth noted that the bill does not require any specific action. She said, "This bill is a common sense approach to forest recovery and research."

In 1988, fire burned a portion of the Custer National Forest in southwestern South Dakota.

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